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In re application of : Juha TRINEN et al.

Application No. : 10/607,972

Filed : June 30, 2003

For : GRIP FOR A SPORTS POLE, AND A SPORTS POLE HAVING SUCH GRIP

Mail Stop Amendment

Group Art Unit : 3618

Examiner : James A. Shriver II

Mail Stop Amendment

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Reply under 37 C.F.R. 1.111** in the above-captioned application.

☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☐ A Request for Extension of Time.

☐ No additional fee is required.

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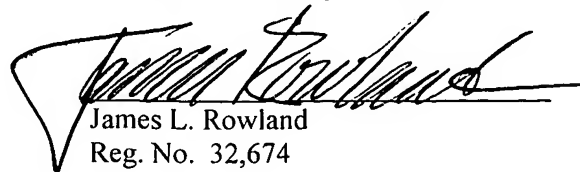
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PATENT APPLICATION
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) Group Art Unit 3618
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REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.111
TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF JULY 22, 2004

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Sir:

In reply to the Office action dated July 22, 2004, please enter the following amendment.

For reasons explained in the "Remarks" section, below, Applicants submit that they have placed the instant application in condition for allowance.

Accordingly, upon entry of the amendment, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

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